

# Arts & ENTERTAINMENT



PHOTO BY KYLE FROMAN.

Faith Prince and the ballet girls with Daniel Russell and Rachel Mrcna in 'Billy Elliot the Musical,' Now playing at Keller Auditorium.

## From the Boxing Ring to Ballet

A joyous celebration of one boy's journey to make his dreams come true is the story behind "Billy Elliot the Musical," a Fred Meyer Broadway Across America Portland presentation, now playing at Keller Auditorium through April 17.

The story follows Billy as he stumbles out of the boxing ring and into a ballet class, discovering a surprising passion that inspires his family and his whole community.

Based on the international smash-hit film, Billy Elliot the Musical is brought to life by a phenomenal cast of 45 and a Tony Award-winning creative team — director Stephen Daldry, choreographer Peter Darling and writer Lee Hall — along with music legend Elton John, who has written what the New York Post calls "His best score yet!"

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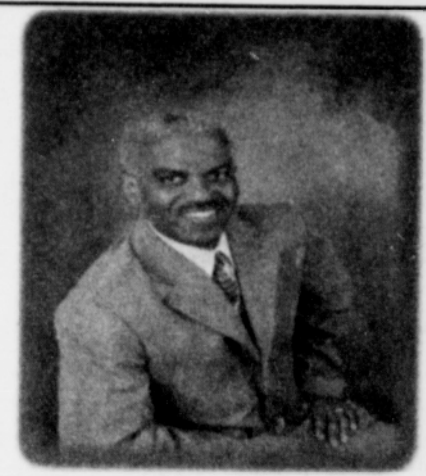
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